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THE Verdict

It is the handsomest line of clothing ever found in Maysville. If this is not the exact truth, then hundreds of customers who have looked through our stock and bought their spring outfit deserve themselves for the reason that the verdict

Is the Voluntary Expression of Good Dressers

who have favored us with their patronage this spring. Our trade ever since the first of March has justified us, to add from day to day the newest production in everything that pertains to our various departments. Look in our windows; they indicate the proper style in

CLOTHING

SHOES AND FURNISHINGS.

From us you get the best the manufacturers produce, and our prices are most reasonable. You can buy a good All Wool Man's Suit for \$8; a good English Jockey Suits for \$8; a splendid All Wool Cheviot Suit for \$10; a made-to-order imported Cheviot Suit for \$11. Our \$10 line of tailor-made suits is all the latest novelties in Cheviots, Serges, Tatters, Clays and Vennies are simply matchless. And \$15 or \$20 buys suits of the kind that only the best of custom tailors—the fellows that charge \$40 and \$50—can equal in material, trimmings and making.

Our Smith & Stoughton and Bush & Packard

SHOES

See them in our show windows; are THE shoes for people who fancy nice, comfortable footwear. When the weather turns warm we will talk to you about our 1898 CRASH SUITS.

HECHINGER & CO

LEADERS IN FINE CLOTHING AND SHOES.

BEE HIVE

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More Than 100 Dozen

Shirt Waists!

Have reached us in the past fortnight. Our buying in such large quantities is to your interest. We sell a full featured Black Hose at 6c, and a regular quality in 7c and 8c. We sell a full featured Black Hose at 6c, and a regular quality in 7c and 8c. We sell a full featured Black Hose at 6c, and a regular quality in 7c and 8c.

HOSIERY HINTS.

Our interest in a large hosiery mill gives us a rare opportunity in hosiery selling. "Nug and" We sell a full featured Black Hose at 6c, and a regular quality in 7c and 8c. We sell a full featured Black Hose at 6c, and a regular quality in 7c and 8c.

CHILDREN'S HEADWEAR.

Our line of these cannot be equaled in this vicinity. Beginning with a pretty Gingham Bandanna for 5c, our stock includes a great variety of Caps and Bonnets, some made of silk, with wide embroidery and straw band trimmings, at prices ranging from 10c. to \$1.25, and others made of silk at 10c, 50c, and \$1.00. Extra good in a real French Cap of 10c, value at 50c.

LADIES' KID GLOVES.

Please remember that all of our \$1 and \$1.25 Ladies' Kid Gloves are guaranteed. Should they rip or wear while trying on another pair for the season. Our new stock includes all the latest and neatest shades, and a perfect fit assured.

ROSENAU BROS.

KINGS OF LOW PRICES.

MAYSVILLE WEATHER.

What We May Expect for the Next Twenty-Four Hours.

THE LEDGER'S WEATHER SIGNALS.

WIND STRENGTH—FAIR! Breeze—Breeze of 8 to 10 miles.

With Black Arrow—(will) warmer.

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SPICE YOUR MOUTH AND GRAB A GUN.

Ain't no time for talkin' now.

Loyal action ranks the bun.

This ain't no linguistic row—

Spike yer mouth an' grab a gun.

It ain't nothin' in a fight,

Butt' won't win no battles, son.

Butkin' dogs don't never bite—

Spike yer mouth an' grab a gun.

Been a sayin' you would go,

Many a warlike yaro you've spun.

Now a yer time to make a show—

Spike yer mouth an' grab a gun.

No more talkin' through yer hat:

If there's talkin' to be done

Conscience are paid fur that

Spike yer mouth an' grab a gun.

See O' Glory in the air,

Smilin' at the Freedom sun!

Do yer part to keep her free—

Spike yer mouth an' grab a gun.

Stop a chawin' at the rag,

Time for somethin' to be done,

Action holds the edge on brag—

Spike yer mouth an' grab a gun.

—Denver Post.

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Soda Water at Chewneth's Drugstore.

Thomas L. Best and James Rumford have been sworn as appraisers of the land of James B. Key, assigned.

See Murphy's line of Shirt Waist Sets Also Gents' Cuff Buttons, Studs, Chains and Charms. A beautiful line of Colored Silk Umbrellas.

Miss Bertha E. Ort is suffering from poison of her hands and face. A few days since while working in the yard she encountered a poisoned vine, and in rubbing her hands on her face transferred the infection. While not dangerous the poison is painful and it is to be hoped will not be of long duration.

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"The best way to get rid of a bad law
is to enforce it."—General Grant.

On, for a Planned Knight in our
State Department just now!

Why shouldn't the troops be mo-
bilized at Mobile?—Ashland News.

It is to be hoped that Bro. Miller's
fit is only temporary.

What's the matter with your uncle
BEN Harrison for Secretary of State?
Uncle SAM and Uncle BEN are "old
pards," and they made a bully team.

WHEN General FLETCHER LEE
marches through Havana at the head of
15,000 of Uncle Sam's boys, wonder if
he'll be insulted by the mob that jered
him when he left there a few weeks
ago?

PRIVATIZING is the Diplomatic
name for piracy, and that's why Spain
insists upon engaging in it. Well, if
she does adopt that style of warfare,
may God save her soul when the New
England fishermen get through with her.

THE question of Spain sending out
privateers to operate against the United
States is one of the most vital in this
war with Spain, hence we may expect
that it will be carried on by them to the
fullest extent allowed by the Law of
Nations. It is virtually legalized piracy
so far as the capture of the property
of citizens of the United States is
concerned. The capture may be by sea
or on the land by a force of the
enemy. Any vessel that has a
license from Spain can do this, although
many of the crew belong to a neutral
Nation. They will have the right of
search so far as to stop any vessel and
compel her to show her papers to see if
she belongs to the United States or her
citizens. If the vessel is found to
belong to a neutral Nation, then only
the goods that are contraband of war
can be seized.


When the seizure is made the property
must be taken to a Prize Court es-
tablished by Spain, and adjudicated
upon by Spanish citizens, and sold, and
the proceeds distributed among the
captors. A portion of the proceeds will
go to the Spanish Government. The
Spanish Prize Courts may be established
in any port of any Nation where there
is a Spanish Consul, if the Nation will
consent. If a Nation will not allow
either party to bring their prizes into
their ports for adjudication, they can do
so, according to the Law of Nations;
but if they allow one party and not the
other they are not to be considered
neutral. The extent that any other
Nation will allow Spanish privateers to
be brought into their ports is what we
should look for with no little anxiety.
It will mean much to us, and may be
the means of prolonging the war for a
year or more.

THE BUYERS' GUIDE.

Remember the Maine!


Place to get bargains in this section of the country is at John I. Winter's the Price Fighter, Maysville, Ky. Our good ship was blown up by a Spanish bomb, which has aroused the patriotic spirit of all Americans residing in the sunny land of the brave, shaded by the waving folds of Old Glory. Another explosion of interest was that of the high prices heretofore prevailing in this section. Remember the date—January the 3d, in the year of our Lord 1898—the Price Fighter opened in Maysville. Only three months since and "High Prices" have gone forever! Our good and magical sword—"Buy 'em right, add 10 per cent., sell 'em quick"—won the fight, and gratitude today fills the hearts of all the people. They all have a warm corner in their hearts for the Price Fighter, for he has already saved them thousands of dollars. Notice the happy, contented throng of bargain hunters filing in and out of our place all day long; stop and converse with one of them and they will tell you that John I. Winter is the people's friend. We court an investigation of our open method of business. We have no leaders, no baits, no catches of any kind. We make 10 per cent. on everything that leaves our house. We guarantee everything, both in quality and price.

HERE'S THE WAY THE 10 PER CENT. PLAN WORKS!

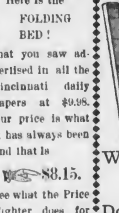


This elegant Ma-
hoganized Birch
PARLOR
ROCKER,
superbly upholstered
in Silk and Tape-
stry, Cutlery and
Velour, and full
Spring Seat.

Only \$2.28.
Guaranteed worth
\$5 any other place.



Here is the
FOLDING
BED!
that you saw ad-
vertised in all the
Cincinnati daily
papers at \$9.95.
Our price is what
it has always been
and that is
\$8.15.
See what the Price
Fighter does for
you.



We are still selling this fine
STEEL BEDSPRING
at 98 cents
Don't pay some one else \$2.75.
It isn't business.

Don't forget that we have saved all your neighbors hun-
dreds of dollars on
FARM WAGONS, DISC HARROWS, PLOWS,
CULTIVATORS, DRILLS AND CORN PLANTERS.
We have the only Disc Harrow made that will cut out the
center without overlapping. It is the finest machine that we have
ever seen—nothing else like it made. It is the only one, and
we have 12 Steel Disc Harrows as low as \$18.50. No matter what
you want, come to the place that the price is made. We set the price; our imitators always await our lead. So come to
the Fountain Head. We sell 'em cheap and we sell a heap; we sell all kinds of fine, medium and cheap Furniture, Wagons
and Farm Implements. We are

THE ONLY PRICE FIGHTER

AND CONSEQUENTLY YOUR FRIEND.

JOHN I. WINTER, Maysville, Ky.

Just received a full line of Trimmed
Millinery by Mrs. L. V. Davis.
There is a general approval of THE
LADY'S suggestion as to future care of
the old burying-ground in rear of the
Opera House.

Soda Water at Chenoweth's Drugstore.
A Government official is in West
Superior, Wis., to get prices and ascer-
tain how soon the flour mills there could
all an order for 400,000 barrels of flour
to be sent to the South.

UNCLE SAM'S NAVY.

The Public Ledger's Timely Souvenir of the Nation's
Battle-Ships, With a Description
of Each Vessel.

As is fully stated elsewhere, THE LEDGER has arranged to furnish its patrons
with a magnificent pictorial history of every vessel belonging to the U. S. Navy.
You can get this timely souvenir in one way only—

Cut out this Coupon,
and present it at THE
LEDGER office, together
with 10 cents, and you
will receive No. 4 of the
series. No orders filled
by mail unless accompa-
nied by 2c. stamp extra.

NOTE—If you are not satisfied after
seeing the work you don't have to take it.
It will be issued weekly, and com-
pleted in 6 parts.

Naval Series Coupon

10c. 10c.

When presented at THE LEDGER
Office, accompanied with Ten
Cents, this Coupon entitles the
bearer to Portfolio No. 4 of the
U. S. Navy.

Thomas A. Davis

By all means let Uncle Sam annex
Hawaii, and be quick about it. Now
that coal has been placed on the con-
traband list, Hawaii is the only coal-
station that the United States could
have in the Pacific in case of war in
the far East. Gentlemen of Congress,
make sure of this prize before it is too
late!

A MOB of 6,000 burned the American
Flag at Madrid in front of the resi-
dence of Premier SAGASTA. But that
hain't ended the war. Now, if the
Spaniards really mean business, let
them come over and tear down and
burn the Flag that floats over the
Capitol at Washington. Uncle Sam's
boys may be relied on to keep the
mosquitoes off while they are doing it.

Ice Cream Soda Water Henry W. Ray's
Pesticide Drugstore today.

Fire Insurance—John C. Everett.
Don't fail to place your "ad" in THE
Ledger if you want the most for your
money.
It is estimated that Michigan still has
10,000,000,000 standing feet of pine. Wis-
consin twice as much; Minnesota, 35,000,
000,000 feet. Cutting 8,000,000,000 feet
annually, this supply would last about
ten years more. The average annual cut
is 40,000,000.

There is more Catarrh in this section of the
country than all other diseases put together,
and until the last few years was supposed to
be incurable. For a great many years doctors
pronounced it a local disease, and prescribed
local remedies, and by constantly failing to
cure with local treatment pronounced it in-
curable. Science has proven Catarrh to be a
constitutional disease, and therefore requires
constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure,
manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo,
Ohio, is the only constitutional cure on the
market. It is taken internally in doses from
one drop to a teaspoonful. It acts directly
on the blood and mucous surfaces of the sys-
tem. They offer one hundred dollars for any
case it fails to cure. Send for circulars and
testimonials. Address,
F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.
Hall's Family Pills are the best.

WHAT WAR PRIZES ARE.

Disposition of the Value of a Captured Spanish
Vessel Given as Example.

Prize, or prize-of-war, signifies the ship
or goods of an enemy, captured at sea.
Goods captured on land are not prizes,
but booty of war.
To be good prize the capture must be
made on the high seas or on the terri-
torial waters of one of the belligerents, and
must be by a armed vessel duly com-
missioned by the Government whose flag
the captor flies. A capture made in ter-
ritorial waters is a violation of neutrality,
and may be restored at the discretion of
the neutral Power. Most Nations have
laws governing the subject.

By the Declaration of Paris, adopted in
1856, the rule is:
"The neutral flag covers enemy's
goods, with the exception of contraband
of war."
Article III of the same Declaration
reads:

"Neutral goods, with the exception of
contraband of war, are not liable to cap-
ture under the enemy's flag."
It is now an understood international
law that the question of prize or no prize
must be determined by a qualified Prize
Court.
In 1818 the United States Congress de-
clared that in the distribution of prize
money arising from the captures by Na-
tional vessels, one-half should go to the
Government and the other half, divided
into 30 equal parts, should be distributed
by order of rank.
Auditor Stone is authority for the state-
ment that the Frankfort Penitentiary re-
ceipts for March succeeded the expenses
by \$2,999.08. This speaks well for the
present management.

Prize money is paid into the Treasury
of the United States to be distributed ac-
cording to the decree of Court. There
are certain cases in which money is
granted to the officers and crew of ves-
sels making captures which are not prize
in the strict sense of the word. Under
this head may be classed the salvage on
recaptures.
The Buena Ventura, the first capture
of the War with Spain, is said to be
worth, with her cargo, \$500,000. This
was the prize money money would be
divided among the officers and men of the
ship and cargo are said:
Value of the prize, \$500,000; Govern-
ment's share, one-half, \$250,000; Rear Ad-
miral Sampson's share, one-twentieth,
\$23,000; Fleet Captain Sigsbee's share,
one-hundredth, \$2,300. Balance to be
divided among officers and men of the
Nashville, \$200,000; Commander May-
nard, one-tenth of ship's share, \$22,000;
Executive Officer Dillingham, \$2,200;
Navigating Officer Winslow, \$2,200;
Ensign Magruder, \$1,750; Ensign Kunkell,
\$1,750; Ensign Snow, \$1,750; Ensign
Walker, \$1,750; Chief Engineer Freeman,
\$4,000; Passed Assistant Engineer, \$3,
000; Engineer, \$2,135; Assistant Surgeon
Pleadwell, \$2,375; Pay Clerk Iglehart,
\$2,375; Boatwain, \$1,500; Gunner, \$1,
500; Carpenter, \$1,500; 300 petty officers
and enlisted men, average share, each,
\$550.80.

All the old officers of the Woman's
Home and Foreign Missionary Society of
Bancaster, Presbury, South, were re-
elected at the annual meeting at Paris
last week.

Notice to Painters.
I will, on or before May 5, 1898, receive sealed
bids for painting the main building of the
Mason County Infirmary and the cottages in
rear of it. Bids are to be for the painting
of the outside of said buildings, excluding the
roofs of all the wood work on the inside.
The paint will be furnished by Infirmary.
R. J. SLATTERY, Supr.

WILLIAM D. COCHRAN,
Attorney and Counsellor at Law,
111 COURT STREET, MAYSVILLE, KY.
"Don't forget attention to settlement of
decease and adjustment of accounts."

PORTER & CUMMINGS,
FUNERAL DIRECTORS,
17 East Second Street, MAYSVILLE, KY.
LINGENFELSER & BRO.,
Daily
Meat Market,
17 West Second St. "FRESH MEAT."

KENTUCKY NEWS.

The Latest News From All Parts of the
Commonwealth.

GREENVILLE FIRE.

Entire Block Burned With a Loss of \$15,-
000 or \$20,000.

GREENVILLE, Ky., April 30.—One of
the largest fires in the history of
Greenville occurred here. Originating in
J. R. Ross' saloon, on Main cross
street, the whole square from McLean
street to Main street, including the drug
store of Jarvis & Williams, was burned.

The following is a list of the property
destroyed, with the names of the
owners and an estimate of their losses:

L. C. Chatham, one frame store house,
occupied by S. M. Dempsey as a jewelry
store and Mrs. J. H. Hays' ten-cent
store, building owned by Cox, Lam &
Reynolds, in which were Reynolds' stu-
dio, Harlow's dental rooms, Ross' saloon
and Vaughan's restaurant, W. H. DeWitt's General Independent Saddlery
Co., J. E. Reno & Co., stores and
tailors; Mrs. Eaves' barbershop, occu-
pied by Sam K. Martin; J. E. Reynolds
& Co.'s grocery and warehouse; W. H.
Reynolds' store house, occupied by J.
T. Hile as a butcher shop; J. F.
Green's brick building, Ed. Martin's
tailor shop, E. W. Taylor's saloon and
the Greenville hotel were all conside-
rably damaged. While a great deal
of merchandise was saved from the
burned buildings, the losses are heavy,
and will aggregate from \$15,000 to \$20,-
000. Owing to the character of buildings
there was no insurance.

Shot and Fatally Wounded.
LANCASTER, Ky., April 30.—About 7
o'clock Monday night Frank Leavel,
colored, was shot and fatally wounded
by Porter Wearen, of McCreary, this
county. The weapon was a 44-caliber
Smith & Wesson revolver. Leavel was
the left nipple. Leavel fell on his face
when the shot was fired. The ball severed
the spinal column. Wearen was
jailed in jail. He had enlisted here
Monday for the Spanish war. There
are conflicting reports as to the causes
leading to the shooting. Eyes witnesses
differ as to whether there was any
provocation.

It Remains Cured Death.
FRANKFORT, Ky., April 30.—H. C.
Eaton, well known and popular L. &
N. conductor died here after an illness
of six weeks. About two months ago
he was taken with a violent attack of
hiccoughs, and although the best of at-
tention and medical skill were given
nothing seemed to relieve him of his
death. He leaves a widow and three
small children, one child having died
here Sunday last.

Receiving a Company at Lancaster.
LANCASTER, Ky., April 30.—Samuel
Dunaway is enlisting a company of vol-
unteers for Cuba next year. It will be
known as Company A, First Kentucky
volunteers. Mr. Dunaway is the
commanding officer. The company ex-
pects to report Tuesday. Mr. Dunaway
is a brother-in-law of Gov. Bradley,
who has commissioned him.

Desiring to Have a Company.
GITHRICK, Ky., April 30.—A number
of young men at this place are endeavor-
ing to organize a military company.
They are ready to receive a company.
They are ready to receive a company.
They are ready to receive a company.

To Be Discharged General.
FRANKFORT, Ky., April 30.—A quiet
tip is that Adj. Gen. Collier will be ap-
pointed brigadier general and command
the Kentucky troops. Gen. Collier was
the best informed man for sur-
veyor of Louisville, but was turned
down and the present one now takes
this plan of rewarding him.

Aged Farmer Kills His Wife.
PADUCAH, Ky., April 30.—Biley Kix,
a farmer nearly 70 years of age, residing at
Coldwater, Calloway county, shot and
killed his aged wife Monday. He then
committed suicide by cutting his own
throat. There was no other cause for
the tragedy except temporary insanity.

Gen. Cassius M. Clay's Pension.
WASHINGTON, April 30.—The house
committee on invalid pensions has
voted to give Cassius M. Clay, of Ken-
tucky, \$80 a month. Gen. Clay's ad-
ventures with his girl wife brought him
prominently before the whole country
last year.

His Flag From the Ladies.
OWENSBORO, Ky., April 30.—Company
H, Third regiment, K. S. O., upon ad-
vice from its colonel, has filled its
ranks and now numbers 100 men. A
beautiful silk flag, made by the ladies
of Owensboro, was presented to the company.

Blows Eighty Feet.
BIRMINGHAM, Ky., April 30.—The boiler
at a steam engine mill on "San Jose"
farm near Brennan Springs, burst
and entirely destroyed the building.
Lindsey Carr, an employee, was blown
80 feet and died. The cause of the
disaster is not known.

Cut His Throat With a Butcher Knife.
MAYFIELD, Ky., April 30.—Tieg Nix,
a farmer, aged 80, of Oldwaver, cut
his throat with a butcher knife. He
slashed at his wife, but fell and died
almost instantly. He is supposed to
have been deranged.

Tramp Killed by a Train.
LOUISVILLE, Ky., April 30.—Daniel
L. Lester, a tramp, was run down Mon-
day morning near Lynden station and
killed. From letters in his pocket Lester
is thought to be from Detroit.

Death of Judge Harbison.
BIRMINGHAM, Ky., April 30.—Judge
Joseph Harbison, ex-judge of the ap-
pel court, died Monday morning at
his home in Newmarket. He was a
leading Kentucky lawyer.

Kentucky Troop Headquarters at Louisville.
WASHINGTON, April 30.—The rendez-
vous for the troops to be mustered in
the service of the volunteer army in
Kentucky will be at Louisville.

